

Civil Procedure and Rules 11-110, 7-130, 7-131, 5-133, 5-135, 6-136, 43-142, and 78-230(m) of the Local Rules of Practice for the United States District Court, Eastern District of California. Unless otherwise ordered, Local Rule 37-251 shall not apply, and the requirement set forth in Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 26 and 37 that a party seeking relief from the court certify that he or she has in good faith conferred or attempted to confer with the other party or person in an effort to resolve the dispute prior to seeking court action shall not apply. Voluntary compliance with this provision of Rules 26 and 37 is encouraged, however. A discovery motion that does not comply with all applicable rules will be stricken and may result in imposition of sanctions.

Further:

6. The parties are advised that the deadline for filing motions to dismiss for failure to exhaust the administrative remedies pursuant to the unenumerated portion of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b) shall be August 23, 2006;

7. The parties are advised that the deadline for the completion of all discovery, including filing motions to compel, shall be February 23, 2007;

8. The deadline for amending the pleadings shall be March 23, 2007;

9. The deadline for filing pre-trial dispositive motions shall be April 23, 2007;¹

10. **A request for an extension of a deadline set in this order must be filed on or before the expiration of the deadline in question; and**

11. **Extensions of time will only be granted on a showing of good cause.**

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 29, 2006

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/s/ Dennis L. Beck
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

¹ The pre-trial dispositive motion deadline does not apply to the filing of unenumerated Rule 12(b) motions to dismiss for failure to exhaust. Unenumerated Rule 12(b) motions for failure to exhaust must be filed on or before the deadline separately set forth in this order.